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WELDING INSPECTION REPORT

Resident Engineer: Pursell, Gary **Report No:** WIR-009813 Address: 333 Burma Road **Date Inspected:** 27-Jul-2009

City: Oakland, CA 94607

Project Name: SAS Superstructure **OSM Arrival Time:** 1845 **OSM Departure Time:** 645 **Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV

Contractor: Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China

CWI Name: Chen Xi **CWI Present:** Yes No **Inspected CWI report:** Yes N/A **Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No No N/A N/A **Electrode to specification:** Yes No Weld Procedures Followed: Yes No N/A N/A **Qualified Welders:** Yes No **Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A N/A Yes N/A **Approved Drawings:** Yes No **Approved WPS:** No Yes No N/A **Delayed / Cancelled:**

34-0006 **Bridge No: Component:** OBG

Summary of Items Observed:

On this date Caltrans OSM Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector, Larry Viars was present during the times noted above for observations relative to the work being performed.

Bay 2-

This QA Inspector observed the following work in progress: SAW welding of weld joint 006 located on Floor Beam FB3061-001. ZPMC welder was identified as 250050. ZPMC QC is identified as Chen Xi. The welding appeared to be in conformance with welding procedure specification, WPS-B-T-2221-B-L2c-S-2.

This QA Inspector observed the following work in progress: SAW welding of weld joint 026 located on Floor Beam FB3010-001. ZPMC welder was identified as 207237. ZPMC QC is identified as Chen Xi. The welding appeared to be in conformance with welding procedure specification, WPS-B-T-2221-B-L2c-S-2.

Bay 3-

This QA Inspector observed the following work in progress: FCAW welding of weld joint 125 located on Floor Beam FB023-010. ZPMC welder was identified as 044830. ZPMC QC is identified as Chen Xi. The welding appeared to be in conformance with welding procedure specification, WPS-B-T-2232-TC-U4b-F.

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This QA Inspector performed Ultrasonic Testing (UT) of the areas previously tested and accepted by ZPMC Quality Control personnel. This QA Inspector generated an UT report for this date. The members were identified as OBG Traveller Rail. The weld identification numbers are as follows: TR5A-PP13-002, TR1E-PP28-009, 010, TR5C-PP17-005, 006, TR6B-PP18-003 and 004. Ultrasonic Testing was performed with 0.375 inch diameter transducer with a 70 degree wedge. Due to lack of scanning area between welds, limited testing in the 1st leg was performed on the above mentioned welds.

Bay 11-

This QA Inspector observed the following work in progress: SAW welding of ESD1-FESA4-1 A/C 82 doubler plate weld located on the East Tower Skin Plate E. ZPMC welders was identified as 066484. ZPMC QC is identified as Peng Guo. The welding appeared to be in conformance with welding procedure specification, WPS-B-T-4332-TC-P4-F.

Unless otherwise noted, all work observed on this date appeared to generally comply with applicable contract documents.

Summary of Conversations:

Only general conversation occurred between QC and QA this date.

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Eric Tsang, 150 0042 2372, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

Inspected By:	Viars,Larry	Quality Assurance Inspector
Reviewed By:	Dawson,Paul	QA Reviewer